

ESOL Instructor

La Colaborativa is looking for an empathetic and passionate English teacher for native Spanish speakers. A teacher who is dedicated to the success of their students and their creativity. Our students come from different parts of Latin America; they are parents, single fathers, single mothers, young adults and grandparents. They are colorful-joyful individuals that will light up your creativity as a teacher.

Instructor Responsibilities

- Prepare and execute lesson plans in keeping with the course title and description, course objectives, and student learning outcomes of assigned courses.
- Assess student characteristics, needs, interests, and learning styles and develop new course materials and activities in order to maximize the effectiveness of instruction.
- Revise lessons to include information and topics which are current and relevant for students.
- Update teaching methodology to reflect current technology and developments in second language teaching.
- Hold conferences with students as needed to address individual needs.
- Evaluate all students in courses assigned during the first few days of the program to determine that students are appropriately placed.
- Initiate class changes if students are not appropriately placed.
- Assign homework regularly; correct it and return it promptly to the students.
- Coordinate instruction and materials with other instructors.
- Organizing extracurricular student activities

Qualifications and Experience

- Bilingual: Spanish & English
- Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL), or Applied Linguistics, or a closely related field.
- 2 years teaching experience in intensive English programs.
- Demonstrated excellence in teaching a wide range of ESL levels and skills
- Curriculum and materials development
- Teaching writing and critical thinking for academic and professional purposes
- Proficiency in the interactive use of instructional technology
- Proficiency in teaching synchronous and asynchronous online courses
- In addition to the above qualifications, the preferred candidate also has knowledge of or previous formal study of a second language and experience living or studying overseas.

Schedule is flexible based on availability. This is a contract consultant role, as such this role does not have benefits included. Wage commensurate with experience, starting at \$27/hr

Please submit a resume and/or questions to philipw@la-colaborativa.org